

# CHECK US OUT!

MARCH | APRIL | MAY 2012

PROGRAMS & EVENTS



Spring  
Happenings  
@ your library

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## Celebrate National Library Week April 8 - 14, 2012

Today's libraries can help you discover  
a new and exciting world.



Visit your library today and create your own story.

## LIBRARY NEWS AND INFORMATION

**Montgomery County Public Libraries does not have Maryland tax forms** to distribute because these forms are no longer provided to public libraries. To request paper copies of Maryland tax forms, call 1-800-MD-TAX-ES; email, [taxforms@comp.state.md.us](mailto:taxforms@comp.state.md.us), or visit your local taxpayer service office.

**Basic federal tax forms** are available in limited quantities at the following libraries: Aspen Hill, Bethesda, Chevy Chase, Damascus, Kensington Park, Little Falls, Long Branch, Marilyn J. Praisner, Poolesville, Potomac, Rockville Memorial, Silver Spring, Twinbrook, Wheaton, and White Oak.

**Branch renovation updates** are available on our website, [www.montgomerycountymd.gov/library](http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/library).

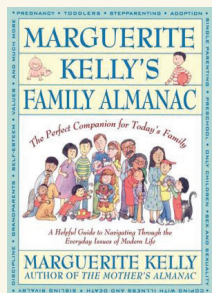
**Go Green this Spring:** Sign up for E-mail Notification. Avoid late fees and fines. Receive e-mail reminders and alerts to help you manage your library card account. Visit our website for more information and to sign up.

**All MCPL branches and offices are closed:** Sunday, April 8; Sunday and Monday, May 27 and 28.

Connect with us.



# Meet the Author



## Marguerite Kelly

Washington Post Columnist  
and Author

### BETHESDA

Saturday, April 21, 2:30 PM

Marguerite Kelly, family advice columnist for the Washington Post and author of several parenting books will talk about the ups and downs of raising a family in the Washington area. Copies of her books will be for sale. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Bethesda Chapter.



## Marcie Lovett

Author of *The Clutter*  
Book: *When You Can't  
Let Go*

### DAMASCUS

Wednesday, March 28, 7 PM

Get Organized by Marcie! Olney resident, Marcie Lovett, author of *The Clutter Book: When You Can't Let Go* is a professional organizer and productivity consultant. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Damascus Chapter, and the Damascus Library Advisory Committee.

### Don't Miss the 24th Annual Literary Luncheon Series at Strathmore Mansion

Thursday, March 15 • Thomas Kaufman, Emmy award-winning director and mystery writer will discuss *Steal the Show*.

Thursday, April 19 • Prize-winning journalist Bob Levey and wife Jane Levey will share a pictorial history of the nation's capital. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Montgomery County, Inc.

# Women's History Month



Vicki T. Hurwitz

First Lady of Gallaudet University

## Deaf Women Who Changed "Herstory"

### GERMANTOWN

Sunday, March 4, 2 PM \*

In observance of Women's History Month and Deaf History Month, Ms. Hurwitz will talk about the lives and accomplishments of deaf women who have made a difference.

The program will be presented in American Sign Language (ASL). A voice interpreter will be available for people who do not know ASL. The meeting room is equipped with an audio induction loop system. For more information, call 240-777-0110, or email [MCPLDeafAccess@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:MCPLDeafAccess@montgomerycountymd.gov).

\* Registration is Required

# PRESCHOOL STORYTIMES

*Stories, music, songs, fingerplays, and rhymes for children with an adult.*

## ASPEN HILL

### Tuesday Tales

**Tuesdays, March 6, 13, and 20;  
April 10, 17, and 24; May 1, 8,  
and 15, 10:30 AM.** For preschool  
ages.

## BETHESDA

### Born to Read \*

**Fridays, March 23, April 20,  
and May 18, 10:30 AM and  
11:15 AM.** For babies to 24  
months. Tickets are given out  
30 minutes prior to the program.  
Space is limited.

### Family Storytime \*

**Saturdays, March 10, April 21,  
and May 19, 10:30 AM**

For the whole family. Tickets are  
given out 30 minutes prior to the  
program. Space is limited.

### Preschool Storytime \*

**Thursdays, March 15, April 19,  
and May 17, 10:30 AM**

For preschoolers ages 3 and up.  
Tickets are given out 30 minutes  
prior to the program. Space is  
limited.

### Time For Two's \*

**Tuesdays, March 27, April 24,  
and May 22, 10:30 AM**

For ages 24 to 36 months. Tickets  
are given out 30 minutes prior to  
the program. Space is limited.

## CHEVY CHASE

### Preschool Storytime

**Tuesdays, March 6 - May 29,  
10:30 AM.** Ages 2 to 6.

### Bilingual Storytime

**Tuesdays, March 27, April 24,  
and May 22, 10:30 AM**

Stories, songs and fingerplays in  
Spanish and English with Senora  
Lupe Marks.

## DAMASCUS

### Stepping Stones Story Time

**Tuesdays, March 6 through  
May 22, 10:30 AM  
Wednesdays, March 7 through  
May 23, 1:30 PM**

For children ages newborn to 5  
years old. Transitions are built  
into the program, so younger  
children can filter out as the  
stories and activities become  
more complex to suit the older  
preschoolers. Adults must  
accompany children ages 2  
and under; children ages 3 to  
5 may attend with an adult or  
independently.

## DAVIS

### A Saturday Morning Storytime

**Saturdays, March 3, April  
14 and May 5, 10:30 AM.**

For ages 2 to 6.

### Preschool Storytime

**Wednesdays, March 7 and 21,  
April 4 and 18, May 2 and 16,  
10:30 AM.** For ages 2 to 6.

### Toddler and Baby Storytime

**Wednesday, March 14, April 11,  
and May 9, 10:30 AM**

For babies and toddlers up to 23  
months.

## GERMANTOWN

### Family Storytime

**Saturdays, March 10, April 7 and  
May 5, 10:15 AM.** For preschool  
age.

### Time for Twos

**Thursdays, March 15, April 12,  
and May 10, 10:15 AM**

For age 24 to 36 months. No  
siblings, please.



### Toddler Time

**Tuesdays, March 27, April 24,  
and May 22, 10:15 AM**

For ages 12 to 23 months. No  
siblings, please.

## KENSINGTON PARK

### Shining Stars Preschool Storytime

**Wednesdays, March 7, 14 and  
21, April 11, 18 and 25, May 9,  
16 and 23, 10:30 AM**

## LITTLE FALLS

### Preschool Storytime

**Wednesdays, March 21, April 18,  
and May 16, 10:30 AM**  
Ages 2 and up.

### Storytime for Babies and Ones

**Wednesdays, March 14 and 28,  
April 11 and 25, May 9 and 23,  
10:30 AM**

For newborn to 24 months.

## LONG BRANCH

### Preschool Storytime

**Wednesdays, March 7 and 21,  
April 4 and 18, May 2 and 16 ,  
10:30 AM.** Ages 2 to 5.

### Baby Storytime

**Wednesdays, March 14, April  
11, and May 9, 10:30 AM.** For  
babies under two years old.

\* Registration is Required



## MARILYN J. PRAISNER

### Cuddle-Ups

Thursdays, March 15, April 19, and May 17, 10:30 AM.

Ages 0 to 24 months.

### Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays, March 7 - May 23, 10:30 AM. Ages 3 to 5.

## NOYES LIBRARY FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

### Noyes Family Storytime\*

Wednesdays, March 7 and 28, April 25, May 16 and May 30, 9:30 and 10:15 AM

For young children.

### Uno, Dos, Tres with Andres! \*

Bilingual Storytime

Spanish and English

Wednesday, March 14, 10 AM

## POOLESVILLE

### Preschool Storytime

Thursdays, March 22, April 26, and May 24, 10:30 AM

Ages 3 to 6.

### Twos Storytime

Thursdays, March 8, April 12, and May 10, 10:30 AM

Two year olds.

## POTOMAC

### Potomac Toddlers

Thursdays, March 8, April 12, and May 10, 10:30 AM

Toddlers 12 to 36 months.

### Preschool Storytime

Thursdays, March 1 and 22, April 5 and 26, May 3 and 24, 10:30 AM. For ages 3 to 6.

## QUINCE ORCHARD

### Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays, March 21, April 18, and May 16, 10:15 AM

For ages 3 to 6. Siblings are welcome.

### Mother Goose Storytime

Wednesday: March 7, April 4, May 2; 10:15 AM. For babies 0 to 17 months. Siblings are welcome.

### Time for Twos

Wednesdays, March 14, April 11, and May 9, 10:15 AM

For babies who are beginning to walk. Siblings are welcome.

## ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

### Preschool Storytime

Thursdays, March 15, April 19, and May 17, 10:30 AM

For ages 3½ to 6.

### Saturday Preschool Storytime

Saturdays, March 10, April 21, and May 19, 10:30 AM

For ages 3 ½ to 6.

### Storytime for Babies -

#### Prewalkers

Wednesdays, March 14, April 11, and May 9, 10:30 AM

For birth to 12 months.

### Storytime for Babies - Walkers

Wednesdays, March 28, April 25, and May 23, 10:30 AM

Ages 12 to 24 months.

### Storytime for Toddlers

Tuesdays, March 6, April 3 and May 1, 10:30 AM

Ages 2 and 3.

## SILVER SPRING

### Baby Bug Lapsit

Tuesdays, March 6, April 3, May 1, 10:15 AM. For ages 0 to 2.

### Preschool Storytime

Fridays, March 2, 9 and 16, April 6, 13 and 20, May 4, 11 and 18, 10:15 AM. Ages 3 to 6.

## TWINBROOK

### Come Saturday Morning

Saturdays, March 24, April 21, and May 19, 11 AM

All ages welcome.

### Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays, March 14 and 28, April 11 and 25, May 9 and 23 10:30 AM

## WHEATON

### Wednesday Wonders Storytime \*

Wednesdays, March 7 - May 2 10:30 AM. For toddler through preschool. Free tickets are given out the day of the program.

## WHITE OAK

### Cuddle-Ups

Tuesdays, March 13 and 27, April 10 and 24, May 8 and 22 10:30 AM

### Preschool Storytime

Thursdays, March 1 and 15, April 5 and 19, May 3 and 17 10:30 AM



\* Registration is Required

## More Programs for Young Children

### NOYES LIBRARY FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

Kathy MacMillan - Stories by Hand

Wednesday, April 11  
9:30 and 10:15 AM

Fun and educational sign language storytimes.

Ms. MacMillan brings her ever popular "Potty Signs" program.

### QUINCE ORCHARD

Penny Theater Performances \*

Favorite folk and nursery tales for children ages 3 to 6.

Thursday, March 15, 10:15 and 11:15 AM; 1:15 PM

*Sam Who Never Forgets and Gilberto and the Wind*

Thursday, April 19, 10:15 and 11:15 AM; 1:15 PM

*The Garden (Frog & Toad) and Chick and Duckling*



READ across MARYLAND



March 1-31, 2012

### ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

Square Kids Mommy and Me

Tuesday, March 20, 10:30 AM

Ages 2 and up (with parents or caregiver) meet in the library for stories and craft activities!

Co-sponsored by Federal Realty and MCPL.

## Special Events for the Whole Family

### MARILYN J. PRAISNER

Montrose Ensemble

Saturday, March 10, 3 PM

Outstanding musicians perform a selection of light classical music. Excellent program for the whole family. For adults and children ages 5 and up.

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Marilyn J. Praisner Chapter.

### DAVIS

Natananjali School of Dance

Saturday, March 10, 10:30 AM

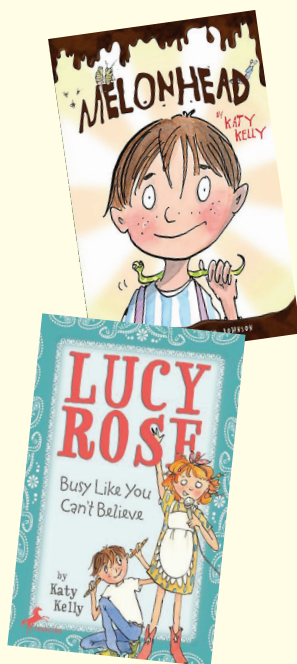


Students from the Natananjali School of Dance take us on a journey into the rich cultural landscape of India through dance and storytelling. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Davis Chapter.

# KID STUFF

for school-age children

Special Event - Meet Author Katy Kelly



## BETHESDA

**Saturday, April 21, 1 PM**

Katy Kelly is the author of the popular *Lucy Rose* and *Melonhead* series. Ms. Kelly will read from her newest book, *Melonhead and the Undercover Operation*. Copies of her books will be for sale. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Bethesda Chapter.

## ASPEN HILL

**Homework Help** for Children, Grades K to 9. **Every Wednesday from 4-6 PM** except for MCPS holidays.

### 4-H Reading Buddies

**Saturdays, 1 PM. March 10, April 14 and May 12.** Join members of the Lucky Clovers 4-H Club for reading and crafts. Grades K to 5.

## MARILYN J. PRAISNER

**Chess Club** for ages 8 and up. **Every Tuesday at 6:30 PM.**

## Book Clubs for kids

### QUINCE ORCHARD

#### Kid's Book Club

**For Grades 4 to 6.**

**Wednesday, March 7, 7 PM**

Two books are available each month. Each member may read either or both, and both will be discussed. This month's theme: Homesickness.

*Home of the Brave* by Katherine Applegate or *Blue Jasmine* by Kashmira Sheth

### MARILYN J. PRAISNER

Please call the library for title selections.

#### Kid's Book Club

**For Grades 2 to 3**

**Wednesdays, March 14, April 11, and May 9, 6:30 PM**

#### Kids Book Club

**For Grades 4 to 6**

**Wednesdays, March 28, April 25, and May 23, 6:30 PM**

### ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

#### Act it Out Kids Book Club \*

**For grades K to 2.**

**Mondays, March 26, April 23, and May 21, 7 PM**

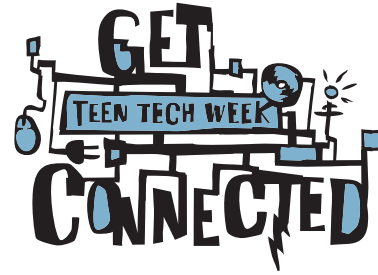
Share stories and act them out.



\* Registration is Required



Geek Out @ your library  
March 4 -10, 2012

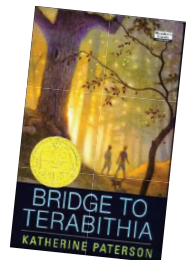
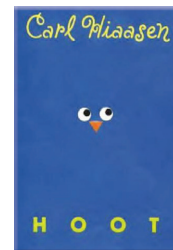
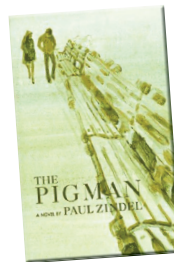


## CHEVY CHASE

### Teen Book Discussion\*

Join in the discussion. Open to all readers in grades 7 and up.

Saturdays, 12 Noon  
March 17, April 21 and May 19



## BETHESDA

### Meet Teen Author

## ALLY CARTER

Tuesday, March 13, 5 PM

Ally Carter will discuss her popular *Gallagher Girls* Series and the *Heist Society*. Copies of her books will be for sale.

## LONG BRANCH

### Chess Club

Wednesdays, 3:30 PM

March 7 through May 30

Learn to play chess or play with others.



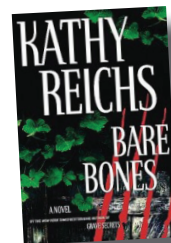
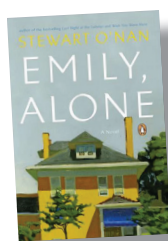
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Are you connected with **MCPL Teens** on **Facebook**? For **Teens** and **By Teens** and **Librarians Who Love Teens**.

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## ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS



### ASPEN HILL

#### Aspen Hill and Olney Book Discussion Group

**Tuesdays, March 6, April 3 and May 1, 1:30 PM.** Call the library for title selections.

#### Book Discussion

##### **Mondays, 1:15 PM**

March 12: *The Spirit Catches You and You Fall Down: A Hmong Child, Her American Doctors and the Collision of Two Cultures* by Anne Fadiman

April 9: *Remarkable Creatures* by Tracy Chevalier

May 14: *The Glass Castle* by Jeanette Walls

### BETHESDA

#### French Book Discussion

A discussion of books written in French and discussed in French.

##### **Mondays, 2 PM**

March 5: *Le Nain Jaune* by Pascal Jardin

April 2: *La Delicatesse* by David Foerkinos

May 7: *Ru* by Kim Thuy

##### **Wednesdays, 7:30 PM**

March 21: *Le Nain Jaune* by Pascal Jardin

April 18: *La Delicatesse* by David Foerkinos

May 16: *Ru* by Kim Thuy

#### Bethesda Reads Book Discussion

##### **Tuesdays, 10:30 AM**

March 13: *This Boy's Life* by Tobias Wolff.

April 10: *Black Swan Green* by David Mitchell

May 8: *Homer and Langley* by E. L. Doctorow

### Classics in Context: Dickens All the Year Round

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Bethesda Chapter.

##### **Tuesdays, 7 PM**

March 20: *Nicholas Nickleby* by Charles Dickens.

April 17: *The Old Curiosity Shop* by Charles Dickens

May 15: *Barnaby Rudge* by Charles Dickens

### CHEVY CHASE

#### Non-Fiction Book Discussion

##### **Wednesdays, March 14, April 11 and May 9, 2:30 PM**

Participants are responsible for obtaining a copy of the book to read before the meeting.

### Great Books

##### **Wednesdays, March 14, April 11 and May 9, 7:30 PM**

Attendees are responsible for obtaining a copy of the book in advance of the discussion.

### Jefferson Café

##### **Fridays, March 16, April 20 and May 18, 10:30 AM**

Jefferson Café provides a format for grass roots discussion, focusing on topics in American life and the role of the United States in the global community. The group is limited to 15 participants. Copies of the articles to be discussed are available at the Library's reference desk without charge.

### Fiction Book Discussion

##### **Wednesdays, March 28, April 25 and May 23, 2:30 PM**

Call the library for title selections.

### DAMASCUS

#### Book Discussion Group

##### **Mondays, 7:30 PM**

March 26: *How the Irish Saved Civilization* by Thomas Cahill

April 23: *A Reliable Wife* by Robert Goolrick

May 21: To Be Announced

### DAVIS

#### Book Discussion

##### **Wednesday, 7 PM**

March 21: *Robber Bride* by Margaret Atwood

April 18: *The Particular Sadness of Lemon Cake* by Aimee Bender

May 16: *It's Beginning to Hurt Stories* by James Lasdun

### GERMANTOWN

#### Novel Views

##### **Tuesdays, 6 PM**

March 6: *Ines of My Soul* by Isabel Allende

April 3, 7 PM: *The Help* by Kathryn Stockett

May 1, 7 PM: *A Reliable Wife* by Robert Goolrick

### African American Book Club

##### **Sundays, March 25, April 22 and May 20, 3 PM**

Call library for title selection.

### KENSINGTON PARK

#### Kensington Park Book Club

##### **Wednesdays, 11 AM**

March 21: *Emily Alone* by Stewart O'Nan

April 18: *Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet* by Jamie Ford

May 16: *Dreams of Joy* by Lisa See

## LITTLE FALLS

### Literary Salon

#### Wednesdays, 1 PM

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Little Falls Chapter.

March 21: *Lost in the City* by Edward P. Jones

April 18: *Sweet Land Stories* by E. L. Doctorow

May 23: *Nocturnes: Five Stories of Music and Nightfall* by Kazuo Ishiguro

## LONG BRANCH

### Talk About Books

#### Wednesdays, 2 PM

March 21: *Let the Great World Spin* by Colum McCann

April 18: *Bridge of San Luis Rey* by Thornton Wilder

May 16: Call library for title selection.

## MARILYN J. PRAISNER

### African American Book Discussion

Tuesdays, March 6, April 3 and May 1, 7 PM

Call the library for title selections.

### Mystery Book Discussion

#### Wednesdays, 7 PM

March 7: *Bare Bones* by Kathy Reichs

April 4: *Sister Pelagia and the Black Monk* by Boris Akunin

May 2: *Rumpole on Trial* by John Mortimer

### Thursday Morning Book Club

#### Thursdays, March 22, April 26 and May 24, 10:30 AM

Call the library for title selections.

## POTOMAC

### Chinese Language Book Club

Book discussion in Chinese language.

#### Tuesdays, 6 PM

March 6: *A Flower in the Sea of Sin* by Tseng Pu

April 3: *The Last Lecture* by

Randy Pausch

May 1: *Edge of the World* by Liu Jiazhi

### Adult Book Club

#### Wednesdays, 1 PM

March 21: *Beatrice and Virgil* by Yann Martel

April 18: *Room* by Emma Donoghue

May 16: *Berlin 1961* by Frederick Kempe

## QUINCE ORCHARD

### Chinese Book Discussion

Group discusses books written in Chinese. **Tuesdays, 7 PM**

March 13: *Jian Chi Wu Hui* (*Perseverance, No Regret*) by Chen Ruo Xi

April 10: *Wo Men Sa* (*We Three*) by Yang Jiang

May 8: *Qi Wang, Shu Wang, Hai Zi Wang* (*Chess King, Tree King and the Kids' Leader*) by A. Cheng

### Gaithersburg Adult Book Discussion

#### Wednesdays, 6:30 PM

March 21: *Garden Spells* by Sarah Addison Allen

April 18: *Mountains Beyond Mountains* by Tracy Kidder

May 16: *Blindness* by José Saramago

### ESL (English as a Second Language) Book Discussion

#### Thursdays, 1 PM

March 22: *The Mysteries of Sherlock Holmes* by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

April 26: *Kabul Beauty School: An American Goes Behind the Veil* by Deborah Rodriguez

May 24: *Chinese Cinderella: The True Story of an Unwanted Daughter* by Adeline Yen Mah

### Librarian's Choice Book Discussion

#### Thursdays, 7 PM

March 22: *Major Pettigrew's Last Stand* by Helen Simonson

April 26: *The Power of One* by Bryce Courtenay

May 24: *Middlesex* by Jeffrey Eugenides

### Bilingual Spanish/English Book Club

A discussion of books written in Spanish.

#### Wednesdays, 7 PM

March 28: *Pequeñas Infamias* by Carmen Posadas

April 25: *Gabriela, Clavo y Canela* by Jorge Amado

May 23: *Las Valkirias* by Paulo Coelho

## ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

### Talking Book Group

#### Wednesdays, 11 AM

March 21: *A Perfect Union: Dolley Madison and the Creation of the American Nation* by Catherine Allgor

April 18: *A Walk in the Woods* by Bill Bryson

May 16: *The Story of Edgar Sawtelle* by David Wroblinski

### African American Book Discussion Group

#### Thursdays, 6 PM

March 15: *Zero to Breakthrough* by Vernice Armour.

April 19: *My Long Trip Home* by Mark Whitaker

May 17: *Sugar of the Crop* by Sana Butler

### Chinese Book Discussion

#### Tuesdays, 7 PM

March 20: *Don't Look Into the Details of History* by Wen, Huan.

April 17: *Amusing History* by Guo Canjin

May 15: *Look Back 1978: A Turning Point* by Tong, Qingling

**ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL  
(continued)****Adult Book Discussion Group****Thursdays, 7 PM**March 22: *Postmistress* by Sarah BlakeApril 26: *The Color Purple* by Alice WalkerMay 24: *Death Comes for the Archbishop* by Willa Cather**SILVER SPRING****Silver Spring Library Book Discussion Group****Mondays, 7 PM**March 5: *The Death of Vishnu* by Manil SuriApril 2: *Knots* by Nuruddin Farah**African American Book Group****Wednesdays, 6:30 PM**March 7: *A Reason to Believe* by Deval PatrickApril 4: *Jump at the Sun* by Kim McLarinMay 2: *The Farming of the Bones* by Edwidge Danticat**TWINBROOK****Adult Book Discussion****Tuesdays, 6:30 PM**March 20: *Leave Me Alone, I'm Reading: Finding and Losing Myself in Books* by Maureen Corrigan.April 17: *Year of Wonders* by Geraldine BrooksMay 15: *The Cat's Table* by Michael Ondaatje**WHEATON****African American Book Club****Thursdays, 6:30 PM**March 8: *The Measure of a Man* by Sydney PoitierApril 12: *Man in the Basement* by Walter MosleyMay 10: *Silver Sparrow* by Tayari Jones**Adult Book Club****Tuesdays, 11 AM**March 20: *Out Stealing Horses* by Per PettersonApril 17: *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper LeeMay 15: *The Help* by Kathryn Stockett**Olney Evening Book Discussion****Tuesdays, 6:45 PM**March 13: *A Tree Grows in Brooklyn* by Betty SmithApril 10: *South of Broad* by Pat ConroyMay 8: *Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Wao* by Junot Diaz**WHITE OAK****African American Book Discussion****Wednesdays, 3 PM**March 14: *When Harlem Was in Vogue* by David LewisApril 11: *To Be Announced*May 9: *To Be Announced***Evening Book Discussion****Wednesdays, 6:30 PM**March 14: *Teacher Man* by Frank McCourtApril 11: *Consequences* by Penelope LivelyMay 9: *Gift From the Sea* by Anne Morrow Lindbergh**Mystery and Thriller Book Discussion****Wednesdays, 7 PM**March 21: *Chasing Darkness* by Robert CraisApril 18: *Stone Cold* by David BaldacciMay 16: *The Burglar in the Closet* by Lawrence Block**Morning Book Discussion****Tuesdays, 10:15 AM**March 27: *House on Childress Street* by Kenji JasperApril 24: *The Gathering* by Anne EnrightMay 22: *Chinaberry Sidewalks* by Rodney Crowell**USED BOOK SALES****Friends of the Library Book Sales***Choose from a wide variety of books, videos, CDs, DVDs for all ages.***ASPEN HILL****Saturday, May 19, 10 AM**

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Aspen Hill Chapter.

**GERMANTOWN****Saturday, March 10, April 14****and May 12; 10 AM to 1 PM**

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Germantown Chapter.

**MARILYN J. PRAISNER****Saturday, March 17, April 21****and May 19; 10 AM to 1 PM****Monday, March 19, April 23****and May 21; 5 PM to 7 PM**

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Marilyn J. Praisner Chapter.

**POTOMAC****Saturday, March 10, April 14****and May 12; 10 AM**

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Potomac Chapter.

**QUINCE ORCHARD****Saturday, March 3, April 7 and****May 5; 10 AM to 1 PM**

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Quince Orchard Chapter.

**ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL****Saturday, March 10 and May 26****10 AM to 2 PM**

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Rockville Memorial Chapter.

May is Older Americans Month  
Stay Active. Stay Healthy.

## Business

### ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

#### SCORE Counseling \*

**March 1 through May 31  
10 AM to 3 PM**

Volunteers from SCORE (Senior Corps of Retired Executives) will offer counseling for small business; by appointment only, when the library is open. Call 240-777-0140 or TTY 240-777-0902 to register.

#### Introductory Business Seminar Writing a Winning Business Plan Tuesday, March 6, 6 PM

The seminar, presented by SCORE: Counselors to America's Businesses, covers the essential materials to be included in a professional business plan, including financial projections.

#### Introductory Business Seminar Market Analysis and Plan Tuesday, April 3, 6 PM

This seminar, presented by SCORE: Counselors to America's Businesses, includes approaches to market analysis, product and service, promotion, pricing, and other concepts.

### Do You Know about our Online Business Databases ?

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## Computer Training

### DAMASCUS

#### Beginning Internet & Computer Basics for Adults \*

**Wednesdays, 7 PM; March 7 through May 30.** Volunteers provide basic help in this free session on getting started using the library computers. Registration required. Please call 240-773-9444 or register in person at the Information Desk.

### ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

#### Computer Tutoring: Basics and Beyond Basics\*

**March 1 through May 3**  
Need help with internet, email, word processing? Let our volunteers help you! Call 240-777-0140 for an appointment or register in person at the Information Desk.



## 50+ and Living Well



### MARILYN J. PRAISNER

#### AARP Senior Driver Safety Class\* Saturday, March 17, 1 PM

Learn how to avoid driving hazards. Simply attend one four-hour class and receive a completion certificate! Class registration fee is \$12 for AARP members and \$14 for non-members. Instructor will collect fee on class day. To register call, 301-365-0630.

### POTOMAC

#### Bone Builders Exercise Class \* Tuesdays and Thursdays, March 1 through March 29, 3 PM Mondays and Wednesdays, March 5 through May 30, 3 PM

Exercise class led by trained volunteers. Incorporates balance and weight training proven to increase bone density. Must attend both classes each week. Wear comfortable clothing and athletic shoes. Free. Class size is limited. Registration is required. There may be waiting lists. Call Shawn Brennan for more information and to register, 240-777-1350.

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## RSVP/AARP TAX-AIDE\*

Free income tax preparation for Seniors as well as individuals who meet the income qualifications. Appointments required.

Counselors are certified by the IRS. Call 240-777-2577, Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 3:30 PM, to make an appointment. [www.montgomeryserves.org/tax-aide](http://www.montgomeryserves.org/tax-aide).

## ASPEN HILL

Thursdays, March 8 through April 12, 10:30 AM to 4 PM

## BETHESDA

Mondays, March 5 through April 9; 10:30 AM to 4 PM.

## CHEVY CHASE

Thursdays, March 1 through April 12; 10:30 AM to 4 PM.

## DAVIS

Fridays, March 2 through April 13; 10:30 AM to 4 PM

## GERMANTOWN

Mondays, March 5 through April 16; 10 AM - 5 PM

## LONG BRANCH

Wednesday, March 28;  
11 AM to 2 PM

Saturdays, March 3 through April 14; 12 Noon to 3 PM

## MARILYN J. PRAISNER

Wednesdays, March 7 through April 11; 1 PM to 4 PM

## POOLESVILLE

Fridays, March 2 through April 13; 10 AM to 3 PM

## SILVER SPRING

Tuesdays, March 6 through April 10; 10:30 AM to 5 PM

## WHEATON

Fridays, March 2 through April 13; 10:30 AM to 3 PM

## WHITE OAK

Fridays, March 2 through April 13; 10:30 AM to 4 PM

## COMMUNITY TAX AID, INC.

Income tax help on a first-come, first-serve basis. Limited to individuals whose income is \$22,000 or less and families whose income is \$42,000 or less.

## ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

Saturdays, March 3 through April 14; 12 Noon to 3 PM

## VITA TAX PREPARATION ASSISTANCE

VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) will provide free help with basic tax returns. First-come, first-serve basis. Open to those with low and limited incomes.

## WHEATON

Thursdays, March 1, 15, and 22; April 5 and 12, 5 PM to 7:30 PM

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## ASPEN HILL

4407 Aspen Hill Road; Rockville  
240-773-9410; TTY, 301-871-2097  
MON, WED: 1-8  
TUE, THU, FRI, SAT: 10-6

## BETHESDA

7400 Arlington Road; Bethesda  
240-777-0970; TTY, 301-657-0840  
MON, TUE, WED, THU: 10-8  
FRI, SAT: 10-6; SUN: 1-5

## CHEVY CHASE

8005 Connecticut Avenue  
Chevy Chase, 240-773-9590  
TTY, 301-657-0830 MON, WED: 1-8  
TUE, THU, FRI, SAT: 10-6

## DAMASCUS

9701 Main Street; Damascus  
240-773-9444 TTY, 301-253-0148  
MON, WED: 1-8;  
TUE, THU, FRI, SAT: 10-6

## DAVIS

6400 Democracy Boulevard; Bethesda  
240-777-0922 TTY, 301-897-2203  
MON, TUE: 1-8; WED, THU: 10-8;  
FRI, SAT: 10-6

## GAITHERSBURG INTERIM

Lakeforest Mall, Gaithersburg  
2nd Floor -Next to Sears  
701 Russell Avenue, Suite D201  
240-773-9490; TTY, 301-840-2414  
MON: 5-9; TUE, WED, THU: 1-9  
FRI, SAT: 10-6; SUN: 1-5

## GERMANTOWN

19840 Century Boulevard  
Germantown; 240-777-0110 MON,  
TUE, WED, THU: 10-8 FRI, SAT: 10-6;  
SUN: 1-5

## KENSINGTON PARK

4201 Knowles Avenue; Kensington  
240-773-9515 TTY , 301-897-2250  
MON, WED, FRI, SAT: 10-6  
TUE, THU: 1-8

## LITTLE FALLS

5501 Massachusetts Avenue; Bethesda  
240-773-9520; TTY , 301-320-8813  
MON, WED, FRI, SAT: 10-6  
TUE, THU: 1-8

## LONG BRANCH

8800 Garland Avenue  
Silver Spring; 240-777-0910  
TTY , 301-565-7662  
MON, WED, FRI, SAT: 10-6  
TUE, THU: 1-8

## MARILYN J. PRAISNER

14910 Old Columbia Pike  
Burtonsville; 240-773-9460  
MON, TUE: 1-8; WED, THU: 10-8  
FRI, SAT: 10-6; SUN: 1-5

## NOYES LIBRARY FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

10237 Carroll Place; Kensington  
240-773-9570 TUE, THU, SAT: 9-5  
MON, WED, FRI: CLOSED

## OLNEY

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FOR RENOVATION

## POOLESVILLE

19633 Fisher Avenue; Poolesville  
240-773-9550 TTY, 301-972-7825  
MON, TUE, WED: 1-8 THU, FRI,  
SAT: 10-5

## POTOMAC

10101 Glenolden Drive; Potomac  
240-777-0690 TTY, 301-765-4083  
MON, TUE: 1-8  
WED, THU: 10-8  
FRI, SAT: 10-6

## QUINCE ORCHARD

15831 Quince Orchard Road  
Gaithersburg; 240-777-0200 MON,  
TUE, WED, THU: 10-8 FRI, SAT: 10-6

## ROCKVILLE MEMORIAL

21 Maryland Avenue; Rockville  
240-777-0140 TTY, 240-777-0902  
MON, TUE, WED, THU: 10-8;  
FRI, SAT: 10-6; SUN: 1-5

## SILVER SPRING

8901 Colesville Road  
Silver Spring; 240-773-9420  
TTY, 301-565-7505  
MON, WED: 1-8  
TUE, THU, FRI, SAT: 10-6  
SUN: 1-5

## TWINBROOK

202 Meadow Hall Drive; Rockville  
240-777-0240 TTY, 240-777-0904  
MON, WED, FRI, SAT: 10-6 TUE,  
THU: 1-8

## WHEATON

11701 Georgia Avenue; Wheaton  
240-777-0678; TTY , 301-929-5524  
MON, TUE, WED, THU: 10-8  
FRI, SAT: 10-6; SUN: 1-5

## WHITE OAK

11701 New Hampshire Avenue  
Silver Spring; 240-773-9555  
TTY, 301-622-6596  
MON, WED: 1-8; TUE, THU, FRI,  
SAT: 10-6

## ASK-A-LIBRARIAN

Reference Service by Telephone,  
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